LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **AUGUST 24**, **2004**, upon the application of **MAYNE & MERTZ, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hackberry Zone**, **Reservoir A and Reservoir B**, in the Carlyss Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

- 1.To create two (2) single drilling and production units for the Hackberry Zone, Reservoir A and the Hackberry Zone, Reservoir B, designated as the HBY RA SUA and HBY RB SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said unit:.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation:
- 4.. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Hackberry Zone in the Carlyss Field is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the measured depths of 8,530 feet and 9,156 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Neumin Production Company - Jack E. Lawton No. 1 Well located in Section 12, Township 10 South, Range 11 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana. www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 7/13/04;7/16/04 L tm

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASEADVISETHE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISIONATP.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 INWRITING WITHINTEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.